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1. The Ministry of Finance contains a very secret department known as the Military Office (Biuro Wojskowe). Although the tasks of this department are not officially disclosed, it is known that it is concerned with the financing of the Ministry of National Defense, the Ministry of Public Security, and those departments of other ministries which deal with armaments. It is the second place, apart from the minister's office, where facts may be obtained on the expenditure on armaments.
2. In this connection it is generally known that the published budgets of the Ministries of Defense and Public Security are not in fact reliable, as considerable sums spent on armaments are concealed in the budgets of other ministries and, in particular, the Ministries of Heavy Industry, Mining, Iron Foundries, and Electrical Power.

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